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YOUNG ELECTRONIC ENGINEER COMPETITION

JOHN BROWN: Good morning, Mrs Collins. I just wondered if you could help me with this entry form for the Young Electronic Engineer competition.

MARY COLLINS: Hello, John. Oh you've made the jigsaw for blind children, with the bleeper.

JOHN BROWN: When they put a piece in correctly, that's right.

MARY COLLINS: Okay, let's have a look at the form.

JOHN BROWN: Right, thanks. I've never filled in one of these before, so...

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MARY COLLINS: Well, let's just do it in pencil first. So, name of designers...

JOHN BROWN: Well, Anne helped me with some of the electronics work.

MARY COLLINS: Then you must put her name in as well. Right... Anne Ray.

JOHN BROWN: Sorry. It's **Q21 A-N-N-E** and her surname is spelt **Q21 R-E-A**.

MARY COLLINS: Good start! Okay R-E-A. And age is easy. You're both **Q22 16 years old**. What have you called the design? Keep it short.

JOHN BROWN: What about jigsaw puzzle design for visually handicapped?

MARY COLLINS: Too long. Just say **Q23 blind puzzle**, that'll do.

JOHN BROWN: Okay.

MARY COLLINS: Right now, size of equipment?

JOHN BROWN: I've got it noted down here uh yes, length, sorry width is **Q24 20** centimeters.

MARY COLLINS: Okay.

JOHN BROWN: Length is 50 centimeters and then the depth is well it's very little.

MARY COLLINS: What would you say? I think you can be approximate.

JOHN BROWN: I'd say 2.5 centimeters.

MARY COLLINS: And the electricity supply? Is it mains operated?

JOHN BROWN: No it isn't, it's actually battery.

MARY COLLINS: Okay, right battery.

JOHN BROWN: Fine, okay. It's the next bit that I'm really not sure what to put.

MARY COLLINS: Well, special features means. What is really new about this, you know, suitable for the group you made it for.

JOHN BROWN: Well, it's **Q25 safe for children**.

MARY COLLINS: That's fine. Put that in.

JOHN BROWN: Okay, and of course we think **Q26 it's educational**.

MARY COLLINS: There you are, you've done it. Anything else?

JOHN BROWN: Well, I think the **Q27 price is good**.

MARY COLLINS: That's probably the most important factor.

JOHN BROWN: Okay cheap price.

MARY COLLINS: Which brings us on to the next bit. What's the cost?

JOHN BROWN: Well the pieces we made out of old wood they cost oh five dollars.

MARY COLLINS: And the **Q28 electrics**?

JOHN BROWN: They were more expensive say 9.50. Brilliant. Now what do they mean by other comments?

MARY COLLINS: It's just a chance for you to say anything about the equipment, and problems you envisage.

JOHN BROWN: Well, we'd really like help with making plastic instead of wooden pieces.

MARY COLLINS: Well, put something like need help to make **Q29 plastic pieces**.

JOHN BROWN: Okay. And the other thing is, we'd like to develop a range of sizes.

MARY COLLINS: That's fine, then, just put that. And the last bit is, when will you send the equipment?

JOHN BROWN: Well, we've got a lot of work on at the moment and we want to get it as good as we can.

MARY COLLINS: Well, say 25th of June?

JOHN BROWN: Can't we make it later?

MARY COLLINS: Well, the last date is the **Q30 first of July**. Why not say that?

JOHN BROWN: Okay, that's what I'll put.

MARY COLLINS: So that's the lot!

JOHN BROWN: That's brilliant. Thanks very much, Mrs Collins. I'll send it off straight away.

MARY COLLINS: Glad to be of help. Very best of luck to you both.

JOHN BROWN: Thanks, bye.

MARY COLLINS: Bye.

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